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Shopping cart child seat wins top award for local man

A Hoopeston native is a member of a team which won a top engineering award by designing a better child safety seat for shopping cars.

Daniel Manion, and two teammates, received the Thiokol Award, the top prize for the Senior Design Project of the University of Illinois College of Engineering.

The award was made May 17 by John Nowak, head of the university's Institute for Competitive Manufacturing.

Through the Senior Design Project, private industry submits engineering problems to graduating engineers.

The request for a new system was caused by the 20,000 injuries caused to children annually in

shopping cart accidents.

The seat is passive, automatic, self-adjusting and durable with a spring-loaded roller that adjusts to the weight and height of the child.

The Senior Design Program is required for all 1,507 graduating seniors at the University of Illinois Schools of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering.

Manion graduated as a mechanical engineer on May 18 and will begin work next month as a design engineer with MCP Corporation of Niles, manufacturers of component parts for military aircraft.

Manion is a 1993 graduate of Hoopeston Area High School and is the son of Paul and Bonnie

Briefly

Pool passes on sale

Due to bad weather Monday, Hoopeston pool passes will be discounted Wednesday.

Anyone purchasing a pool pass that day will receive a 10 percent discount.

Pass prices are: \$50 for 1 person, \$60 for two people, \$75 for three, \$90 for four, \$100 for five, and \$10 for each additional person.

Auxiliary officers needed

Hoopeston Auxiliary Police are now accepting applications for auxiliary officers. Applications may be picked up at the Hoopeston Police Department.

Applicants must be at least 21 years old and must have a Hoopeston address.

Rossville clean-up days

Clean up days in Rossville will be May 29-31. Items that will not be picked up include toxic waste, landscape waste, lumber, paint and oil. Officials ask that all metal

be separated.

Watch those clippings

Residents are asked to mow lawns away from curbs so clippings do not clog city sewers.

Service added

The East Lynn United Methodist Church will add a contemporary second service beginning at 8 a.m. June 1.

The service will include a praise band, drama and time of fellowship.

The worship theme is "Is there really a God? What evidence is there that God exists?"

Sunday school for all ages begins at 9 a.m. followed by the regular service at 10.

The service will be followed by a potluck dinner.

Bible school schedules

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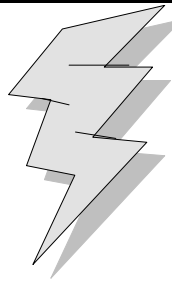
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Court Dispositions



May 1: Arron Mehki, Rossville, illegal transportation; continued.

Steven Miller, Rankin, illegal squealing; continued.

Hector Partida, Texas, status check; failed to appear.

Linne Rothery, Rankin, uninsured; nolle pros.

Brian Sorenson, Alvin, driver's license not on person; plea by mail.

Robert Staley Jr., Hoopeston, uninsured, speeding; pleaded by mail.

Juan Torres, Ambia, Ind., no valid driver's license; ex parte judgment.

Kimberly Torres, Hoopeston, uninsured; nolle pros.

Jessie Vernon, Boswell, Ind., illegal transportation; continued.

Richard Dancey, Hoopeston, speeding; pleaded by mail.

May 15: Shanna McGee, Hoopeston, speeding; pleaded guilty, \$75 total.

Jeffrey Maple, Monticello, Ind., disobeying stop sign, failed to appear; summons issued.

Shawn Sullivan, Urbana, disobeying stop sign, failed to appear; summons issued.

Robin Ball, Rantoul, permitting unauthorized person to drive, pleaded guilty; \$75 total.

Jason Pritchett, Loda, speeding, pleaded guilty; \$75 total.

William Bruens, Wellington, disobeying stop sign, pleaded guilty; \$75 total.

Joseph Rosenblatt, Killard, Ohio, disobeying stop sign, pleaded guilty; \$75 total.

Christopher Cox, Hoopeston, speeding, failed to appear; summons issued.



In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital
May 22, 1997

Admitted: Kenneth Hammerton, Hoopeston.

Discharged: none.

May 23, 1997

Admitted: Robert Welty and Harold Johnson, Hoopeston.

Discharged: Anthony Barker, Hoopeston.

May 24, 1997

Admitted: none.

Discharged: none.

May 25, 1997

Admitted: none.

Discharged: none.

May 27, 1997

Admitted: Nichole Rapuano, Hoopeston

Discharged: A Chi Yu and Robert Welty, Hoopeston.

Obituaries

FREDERICK - Helen E. Frederick, 90, of Rankin, died at 3:50 a.m. Sunday, May 25, 1997, at Hoopeston Community Nursing Home. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Grace Lutheran Church, Rankin. Burial will be in Rankin Union Cemetery. Visitation was 5-8 p.m. Tuesday at the Ford-Baier Funeral Home, Paxton and for one hour before services Wednesday at the church. Memorials are suggested to the Grace Lutheran Church.

HENRICHS - Herman Henrichs, 89, of Onarga, died at 10:56 p.m. Sunday, May 25, 1997, at Iroquois Memorial Hospital, Watseka. Funeral services will

be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Woodworth. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Visitation will be 4-8 p.m. Wednesday at the Segur-Knapp Funeral Home, Watseka, and one hour before services at the church. Memorials are suggested to St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

He was the father of Edith Schumacher of

Weather



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